part (c) of the reply, the Chief Justices' conference took stock of the complaints and they assessed the problem and they have taken some decision. This is a matter which we should leave to the judiciary itself to do whatever is possible in this sphere.

श्री शिव प्रताप मिश्र : महामहिम, मैं माननीय विधि मंत्री जी से जानना चाहूंगा कि न्यायालय में जो लंबे समय से मुकदमे पड़े हुए हैं उनके निर्णय सुनाने के पहले ही वादी और प्रतिवादी जिंदगी की वैतरणी पार कर जाते हैं लेकिन निर्णय उनके कर्णरंध्रों में नहीं आ पाते। तो मैं जानना चाहूंगा कि जो अनिस्तारित मुकदमे न्यायालय में पड़े हुए उनके निस्तारण के लिए क्या विधि मंत्री जी कोई उपाय सोच रहे हैं ?

SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ: Sir, may I inform the hon. Member that we had discussed this matter and the Malimath Committee, report was discussed in the conference of the Law Ministers? I myself presided over that meeting. We have found several methods by which we would reduce the arrears. ताकि सस्ता और सुलभ न्याय जिसको हम कहते हैं, वह सभी लोगों को मिल सके ।

श्री सुरेश पचौरी : माननीय सभापति जी, माननीय सदस्य का बड़ा सीधा सा प्रश्न था कि बार एसोसिऐशन से ऐसी कितनी शिकायतें प्राप्त हुई हैं जहां पर माननीय न्यायाधीशों के निकट संबंधी उनके अधीन ही चल रहे केसों की पेरवी कर रहे हैं। मैं केवल वह संख्या जानना चाहता हूं। मैं यह नहीं जानना चाहता कि माननीय न्यायाधीश ने क्या किया ? तो ऐसे कितने प्रकरण हैं जिनकी शिकायतें बार एसोसिऐशन ने आपको भेजी हैं। दूसरा इसी से संबंधित सवाल यह है कि लॉ कमीशन की क्या सिफारिशें थी और सरकार ने उन सिफारिशों को ध्यान में रखते हुए क्या कार्यवाही की है ?

SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ: Sir, I haven't received any specific complaint against any hon. Judge. But there are general complaints and, as I said, we pass them on to the Chief Justice.

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question Hour is over. Papers to be laid on the Table.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Inflow of foreign investment in the country

*225. SHRIMATI CHANDRIKA ABHINANDAN JAIN. Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that direct foreign investment has been below expectations in the country; if so, the reasons therefor;

(b) what are the comparative figures of foreign investment approvals during the year 1991-92 and 1992-93; and

(c) the steps Government propose to take for improving the position of foreign investment?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT) WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY) (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (c) No, Sir. There has been considerable buoyancy in approvals granted for foreign direct investment in the country. The total foreign investment involved in the proposals approvad for foreign collaborations amounted to Rs. 534.11 crores in 1991, Rs. 3887.54 crores in 1992, and Rs. 2385.95 crores in 1993 upto the month of February.